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AFRL awards \$2.1 million contract to Virginia firm

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ROME, N.Y. — The Air Force Research Laboratory's Information Directorate has awarded a \$2,150,997 contract to Booz-Allen & Hamilton Inc. of McLean, Va., for research and development to enhance the fusion of data.

The three-year contract, "Fusion Testbed/Performance Model," is being managed by Edward M. Starczewski of the directorate's Information and Intelligence Exploitation Division.

The scope of this effort is to establish a testbed consisting of hardware and a software backbone, based initially upon the

current Adaptive Sensor Fusion program," said Starczewski. "This will allow a wide variety of fusion technologies to be integrated into the testbed and characterized against numerous configuration managed simulated and real world data sets."

The work is expected to be performed at the Rome Research Site by the Rome Office of Booz-Allen & Hamilton and by researchers for the subcontractor, Syracuse Research Corp. of East Syracuse, N.Y. @